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REFLECTIVE END COATS**
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AMENDMENT B

Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

The Examiner's communication dated July 16, 2003 has been received and carefully reviewed. In conformance with the applicable statutory requirements, Applicants submit that the present paper constitutes a complete reply thereto. It includes the following sections as indicated below, with each section beginning on a separate sheet

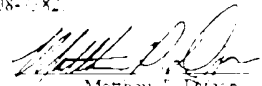
- [✓] Amendments to the Specification are provided beginning on page 2 of this paper.
- [✓] Amendments to the Drawings are provided beginning on page 3 of this paper.
- [✓] Remarks are provided beginning on page 4 of this paper.
- [✓] An Appendix of the amended drawing figures is attached following page 9 of this paper, and includes replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing the changes made.

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